



BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS

Minutes of the Regular Board of Police Commissioners Meeting Thursday, December 27, 2007

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The forum of the Detroit Board of Police Commissioners was held on Thursday, December 27, 2007, at 3:00 p.m., at Police Headquarters, 1300 Beaubien, Detroit, Michigan 48226.

ATTENDANCE

Board Members Present

Jim Holley
Mohamed Okdie **(ABS)**
Willie Hampton **(ABS)**
Arthur Blackwell II **(ABS)**
Erminia Ramirez **(ABS)**

Department Personnel Present

DC Jamie Fields
Lt. Donna Jarvis

Board Staff Present

Dante' L. Goss, Executive Director
Denise R. Hooks, Attorney/Supervising Inv. **(ABS)**
Lawana Ducker, Personnel Director **(ABS)**
Arnold Sheard, Chief Investigator
P.O. Kent Cooper

OTHERS PRESENT

RECORDERS

Terence Bell
Robert Brown

1. CALL TO ORDER

Vice-Chairperson Holley called the meeting of the Detroit Board of Police Commissioners to order at 3:00 p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

The Agenda for December 27, 2007, was not presented given the lack of a quorum.

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The Minutes for December 6, 2007, December 13, 2007, and December 20, 2007 were not presented because of the lack of a quorum.

4. BOPC OFFICER'S REPORT

1. CHAIRPERSON

2. SECRETARY REPORT

OFFICE CLOSING

The Board of Police Commissioners' Office and the Office of the Chief Investigator will be **CLOSED** on the following dates:

- The Board of Police Commissioners' Office and Office of the Chief Investigator will be closed December 26th through January 4th, 2008 in observance of New Year's Day. The offices will be open on January 7th, 2008.

BOARD MEETING

Board meetings will be held at Police Headquarter on the following date:

- Thursday, January 3rd, 2008.

Due to the closing of OCI there were no changes in the citizen complaints numbers for the week of Dec.27, 2007.

CITIZEN COMPLAINTS RECEIVED

	<u>This Week</u>	<u>Year to Date</u>
2007 - Weekly Count of Complaints:	23	1682
		34% Decrease
2006 - Weekly Count of Complaints:	35	1495
		11% Increase

- The Office of the Chief Investigator has a total of **1,277** active investigations, of which **1,025** of those are for 2007.

5. PRESENTATION/REPORT-CHIEF OF POLICE

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SPECIAL ENFORCEMENT ACTIONS



"BUILDING A SAFER DETROIT THROUGH COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS"

Detroit Police Department

Report to the Board of Police Commissioners

The Detroit Police Department is committed to uphold its mission to provide a safe environment for our residents and businesses. This effort is not possible without the joint commitment of the community and the Police Department. We appreciate and value the role our citizens have played in helping us to take the guns and drugs off the streets of the city of Detroit.

Narcotics/Gang Enforcement

During the period of December 17, 2007 through December 23, 2007, **Narcotics/Gang Enforcement executed 19 search warrants and 40 street enforcement actions** within the boundaries of the city of Detroit, resulting in the following arrests and confiscations:

- 22 Felony arrests
- 52 Misdemeanor arrests
- 4 Juveniles detained
- 96.61 grams of cocaine, 11.3 grams of heroin and 14,709.70 grams of marijuana, with a total street value:
- \$ 117,822.80
- \$ 22,188.00 in U.S. Currency
- Confiscated:
- 8 Handguns



Engaging the Community

CENTRAL DISTRICT

On December 21st, while on patrol and in the area of First and Abbott streets, officers of the Central District were flagged down by a citizen on a man with a gun. Subsequent to their investigation, the subject was arrested and charged with (1) Felonious Assault.



ATTENTION

Citizens wishing to make a police report may do so at the Districts in the city of Detroit. Citizens may also utilize the following District Sub-Stations to make reports.

<u>Location</u>	<u>Hours of Operation</u>	<u>Telephone</u>
2151 E. Jefferson	24 Hours	596-6400
7737 Kercheval	8 a.m.-8 p.m.	852-4778
13206 E. Jefferson	8 a.m.-8 p.m.	852-5759
19810 Grand River	8 a.m.-8 p.m.	935-5322
13530 Lesure	8 a.m.-8 p.m.	596-5300
12000 Livernois	24 Hours	237-2555

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Special points of interest:

• Next meeting:

Thursday, January 3, 2008
@ 3:00 P.M.

Detroit Police Headquarters
1300 Beaubien, Suite 328A
Detroit, Michigan 48226

Police / Community Intervention

DECEMBER 27, 2007



NORTHEASTERN DISTRICT

On December 15th, officers of the Northeastern District responded to a residence in the 12000 block of Bloom on a "Home Invasion in progress". Due to the officers quick response, a subject was apprehended and charged with (1) Home Invasion 2nd degree, (2) Possession of Burglary Tools, (3) Larceny in a Building, (4) Habitual 4th charge.

NORTHWESTERN DISTRICT

On December 21st, officers of the Northwestern District responded to the area of St. Marys and Cambridge on "Shots Fired". Due to the officers quick response, a subject was investigated and apprehended at the scene. As a result of their investigation, the subject was arrested and charged with (1) Carrying a Concealed Weapon in a Motor Vehicle.



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

On December 22nd, officers the Central District responded to the 4000 block of Chrysler Service Drive on a domestic dispute. Subsequent to the officers investigation, a subject was arrested. The case was handled by Domestic Violence and the subject was charged with (1) Home Invasion 1st degree, and (2) Domestic Violence.

WESTERN DISTRICT

On December 21st, officers of the Western District responded to the area of Cherrylawn and Eaton on a "Robbery/Armed". Due to the quick response of the officers, the wanted subject was investigated and apprehended. As a result of their investigation, the subject was charged with (1) Robbery/Armed.



6. STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

There were no committee reports.

7. NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business.

8. OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business.

9. ANNOUNCEMENT OF NEXT MEETING

Thursday, January 3, 2008 @ 3:00 p.m.
Police Headquarters
1300 Beaubien Rm. 328-A
Detroit, MI 48226

10. ORAL COMMUNICATION FROM THE AUDIENCE

There were no oral communications.

11. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 3:02 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

DANTE' L. GOSS
Executive Director
Board of Police Commissioners

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